ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development, and Related Agencies held a hearing on Department of Energy—Nuclear Energy FY 2011 Budget. Testimony was heard from Warren F. Miller, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Nuclear Energy, Department of Energy.

HOMELAND SECURITY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Homeland Security held a hearing on DHS Air and Marine Operations and Investments: Customs and Border Protection and Coast Guard. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Homeland Security: Michael Kostelnik, Assistant Commissioner, Office of Air and Marine, U.S. Customs and Border Protection; and RADM Vince Atkins, USCG, Assistant Commandant for Capability, U.S. Coast Guard.

INTERIOR, ENVIRONMENT AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior, Environment and Related Agencies, held a hearing on Voices from Our Native American Communities. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, VETERANS AFFAIRS AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies, held a hearing on VA Mental Health. Testimony was heard from Ira Katz, M.D., Deputy Chief Officer, Mental Health Services, Office of Patient Care Services, Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; Thomas R. Insel, M.D., Director, National Institute of Mental Health, NIH, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

STATE, FOREIGN OPERATIONS, AND RELATED PROGRAMS APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs held a hearing on Global Health and HIV/AIDS programs at the Department of State and the U.S. Agency for International Development. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Ambassador Eric Goosby, U.S. Global AIDS Coordinator; and Gloria D. Steele, Senior Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Global Health, U.S. Agency for International Development.

TRANSPORTATION, HUD, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies, on Intercity and Commuter Passenger Rail: Moving People Safely and Efficiently (Including FY 2011 Budget Requests for FTA, FRA and Amtrak). Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Peter Rogoff, Administrator, Federal Transit Administration; and Joseph Szabo, Administrator, Federal Railroad Administration; and Joseph Boardman, President and CEO, National Railroad Passenger Corporation (AMTRAK).

MILITARY ASSOCIATIONS' LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel held a hearing on military associations' legislative priorities. Testimony was heard from Sarah Jennings, Unit Chief of Budget Analyst Division, CBO; and public witnesses.

IRAQ-AFGHANISTAN GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the Interagency Coordination of Grants and Contracts in Iraq and Afghanistan: Progress, Obstacles, and Plans. Testimony was heard from Gary Motsek, Assistant Deputy Under Secretary (Program Support), Department of Defense; the following officials of the Department of State: William Moser, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Logistics Management); Ambassador James Michel, Counselor to the Agency, U.S. Agency for International Development; and John Hutton, Director, Acquisition and Sourcing Management, GAO.

DEFENSE SCIENCE-TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM BUDGET

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Terrorism, Unconventional Threats and Capabilities held a hearing on FY 2011 National Defense Authorization Budget Request for Department of Defense's Science and Technology Programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Zachary J. Lemnios, Director, Defense Research and Engineering, Office of the Secretary; Thomas H. Killion, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Research and Technology, Department of the Army; RADM Nevin P. Carr, Jr., USN, Chief of Naval Research, Director, Test and Evaluation and Technology Requirements, U.S. Navy; Stephen Walker, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Air Force, Science, Technology and Energy Requirements, Office of the Assistant Secretary, Acquisition, U.S. Air